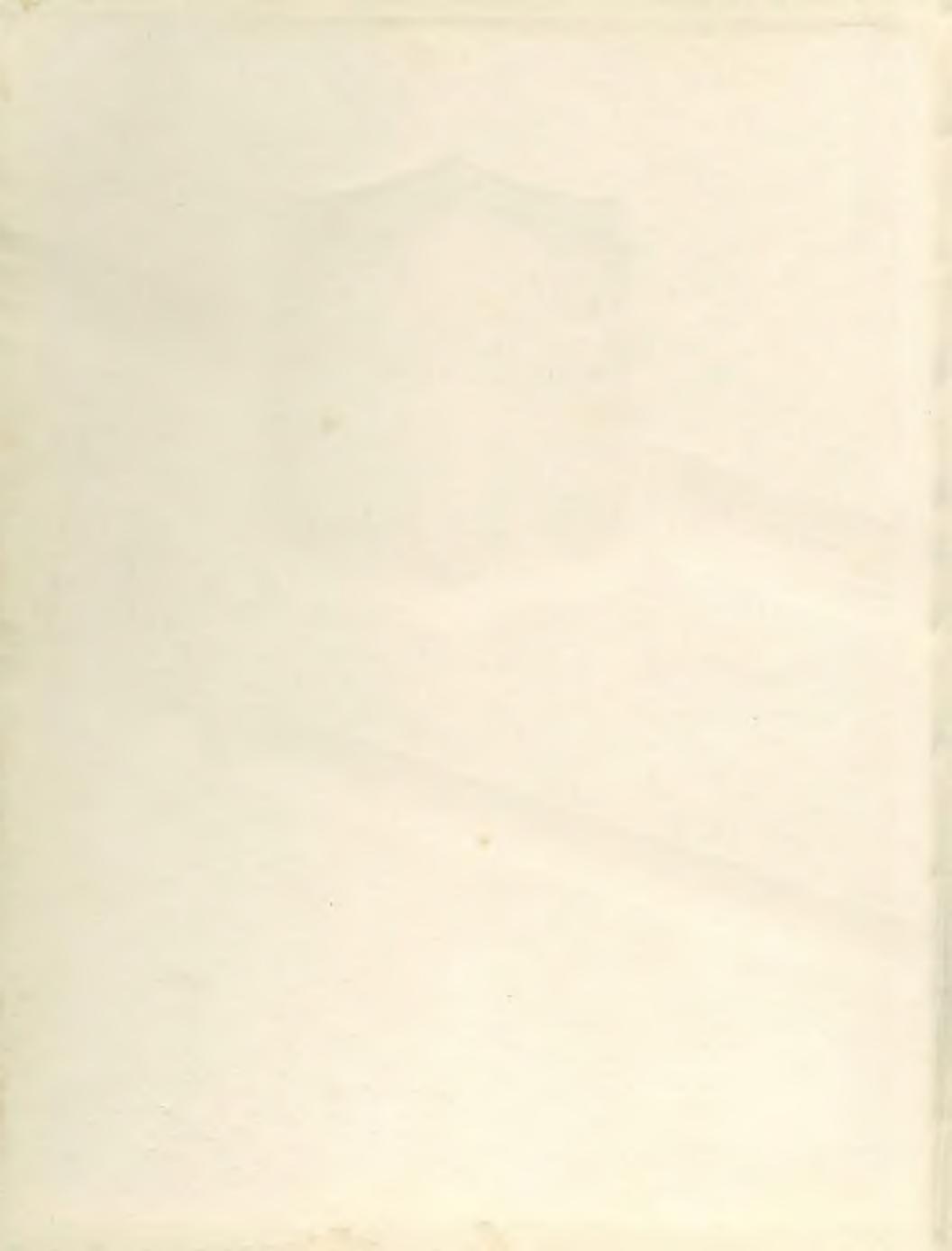
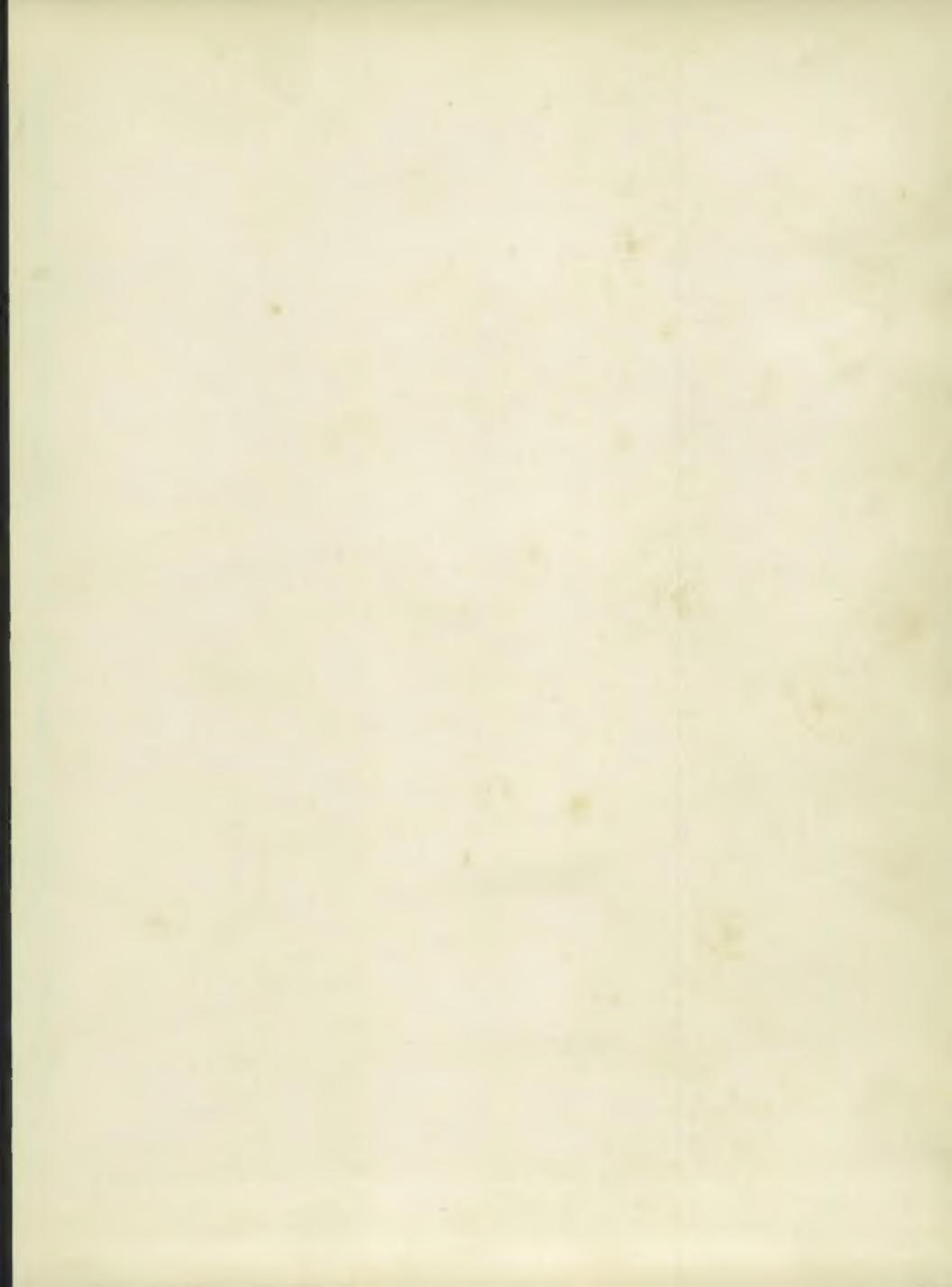
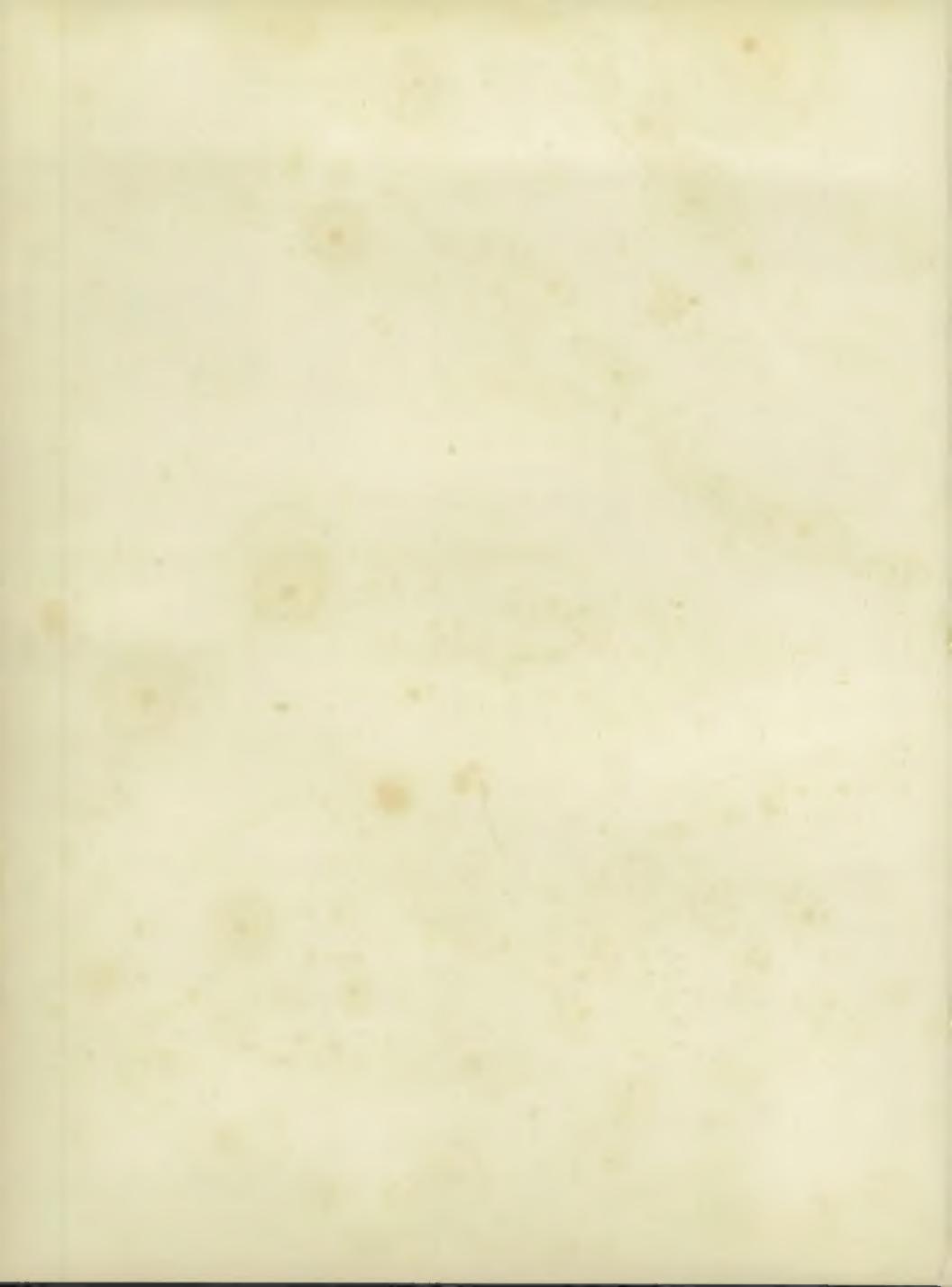
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WAYNE LEE



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Foreword

We, the staff of the 1952 annual, are proud to present this book to you, the students, faculty, and alumni of Rockcreek. We hope that it will give you many pleasant hours in recalling your years spent at Rockcreek and that you will keep the book as a gratifying remembrance of the invaluable friendships that we have gained and good times which we have enjoyed throughout our school studies and activities.



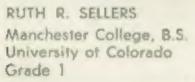




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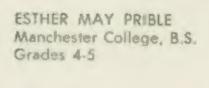
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KELL WYGANT Manchester College, B.S. University of Michigan Music, History





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B. G. WAMSLEY

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GORDON WAECHTER Ball State, B.S. Band







Senior Class History

Sixteen students enrolled in the Freshman class in the fall of '48. They were: Barbara Brickley, Tom Eichhorn, David Gilbert, Gene Gilbert, Beverly Goodman, Jack Goodman, Shirley Hare, Dick Harshman, Bob Jackson, Jerry Keplinger, Ada Mai Lambert, Dayton Leach, Jack McAfee, Bill McCain, Bob Milligan, and John Siela. The class was rather unevenly divided with 4 girls and 12 boys. Bill McCain left during this year to go to West Rockcreek.

The class officers for our Freshman year were: President, Bob Milligan; Vice President, David Gilbert; Secretary-Treasurer, Barbara Brickley; Student Council, Shirley Hare. Our Sponsor was Ed Brown.

In the beginning of our Sophomore year, we had a new student with us, Ann Sheets. We girls certainly welcomed her as we were rather "short" on girls. During this year, Pat Ellet, one of the wittiest of our class, joined us.

The class officers for our Sophomore year were: President, Tom Eichhorn; Vice President, Dick Harshman; Secretary, Bob Milligan; Treasurer, Barbara Brickley; Student Council, Shirley Hare. Our Sponsor was Ed Brown.

In the fall of '50, Bob Jackson and Beverly and Jack Goodman did not return. In addition, we greeted that petite blond, Bee Ann Wilburn to our class. There were two students who left us during this year: Ada Lambert and Dayton Leach. Our Junior year was our busiest. We sold concession at all of our home basketball games, and did other odd jobs to raise money. We had to work especially hard because we had to have our money for the class trip. The Juniors and Seniors went together in the spring of '51 to Washington and New York. We will always remember the good times we had while going on that trip. Also, we gave for our Junior Class Play a comedy, "A Pair of Country Kids".

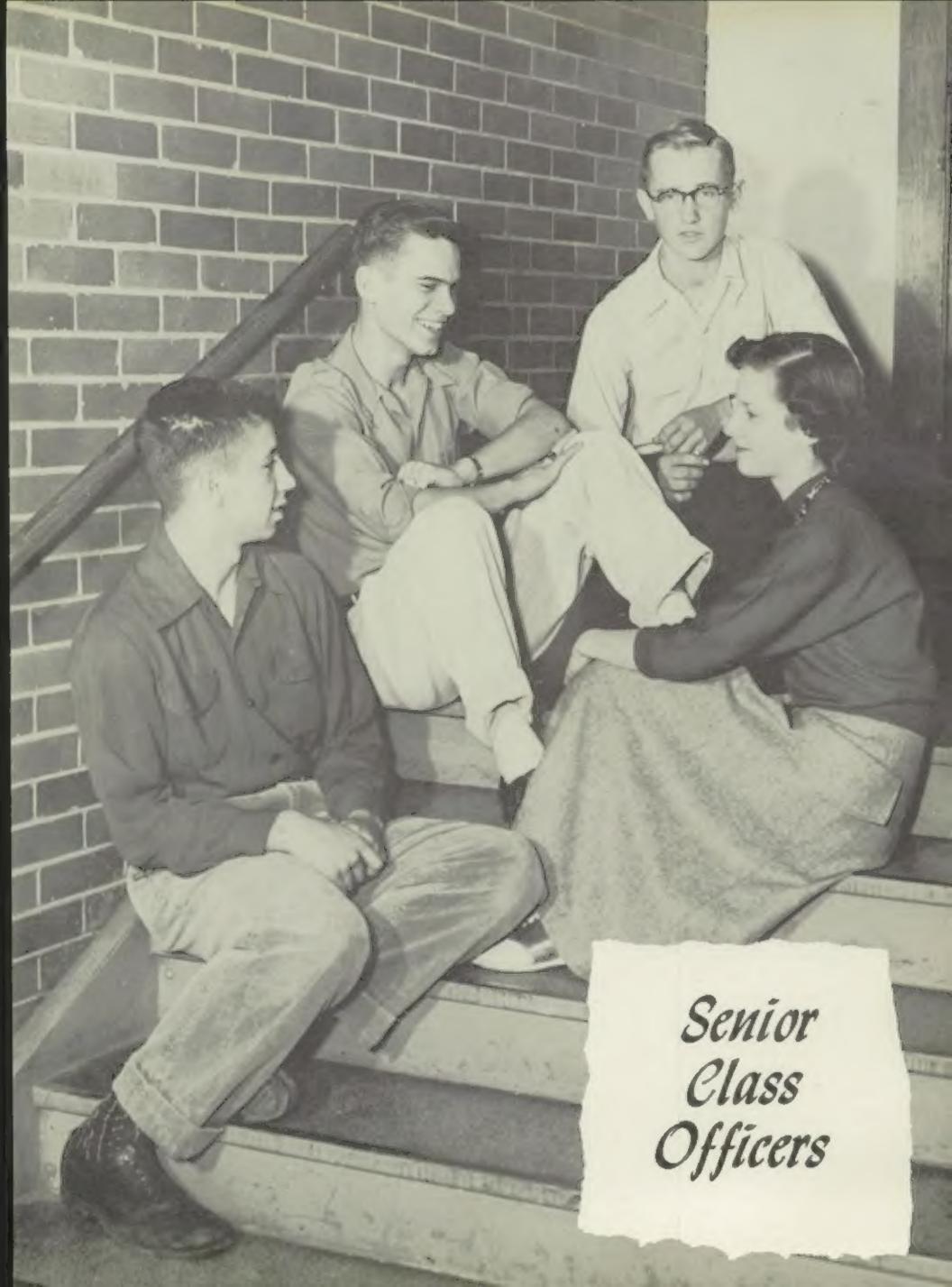
Our class officers for our Junior year were: President, Tom Eichhorn; Vice President, David Gilbert; Secretary, Shirley; Treasurer, Bob Milligan; Student Council, Barbara Brickley. Our Sponsor was Clive Markley.

We are now enjoying our final year as students of R.C.H.S. We have an unlucky number of 13 members in our class.

The class officers for this year are: President, Tom Eichhorn; Vice President, Barbara Brickley; Secretary, Dick Harshman; Treasurer, Bob Milligan; Student Council, Shirley Hare. Mr. Markley is our class Sponsor again this year.

We presented "The Phantom Bells," a mystery-comedy, for our Senior Class Play. We are now looking forward to the final day when we receive our diplomas.









BARBARA BRICKLEY

Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4, Girls' Chorus 1-2-3-4, Junior and Senior Class Play, 4-H 5 years, Yell Leader 2-4, School Paper 2-3, Annual Staff 3-4, Twirler 1, Class Treasurer 1-2, Vice President 4, Student Council 3.

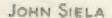
DICK HARSHMAN

Mixed Chorus 2-3-4, Boys' Chorus 1-2-3-4, Quartette 3-4, Junior and Senior Class Play, 4-H 3 years, School Paper Staff 4, Annual Staff 3-4, Class Vice President 2, Secretary 4, Basketball 1-2-3, Softball 1, Track 3, County Chorus 2-3-4.



GENE GILBERT

Boys' Chorus 1-2, Senior Class Play, 4-H 5 years, School Paper 4, Annual Staff 4, Basketball 1-2, Softball 1-2, Track 1.



Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4, Boys' Chorus 1-2-3-4, County Chorus 1-2-3-4, Junior Class Play, Sound Effects man for Senior Class Play, 4-H 3 years, Annual Staff 4, Student Manager 4.



BOB MILLIGAN

Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4, Boys' Chorus 1-2-3-4, Quartette 1-2-3-4, County Chorus 1-2-3-4, Junior and Senior Class Play, 4-H 8 years, 4-H Judging Team 2, School Paper Steff 1-2-3-4, Class Secretary 1-2, Class Tressurer 3-4, Softball 1-2-3-4, Basketball 1-2-3-4, Track 1-2-3-4.

SHIRLEY HARE

Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4, Girls' Chorus 1-2-3-4, Junior end Senior Class Play, 4-H 7 years, School Paper Staff 3-4, Annual Staff 3, Twirler 1, Student Council 1-4, Secretary 3.





BEATRICE WILBURN

Mixed Charus 3-4 Girls' Charus 3-4, Junior and Senior Class Play, 4-H 2 years, School Paper Staff 4, Annual Staff 3

JACK MCAFEE

Boys' Chorus 1-2, Junior Class Play, Senior Class Play Announcer, 4-H 7 years, 4-H Judging Team 2-3-4, Annual, Staff 4, Basketball 2-3, Softball 2-3-4



DAVID GILBERT

Mixed Chorus 2-3-4, Boys' Chorus 1-2-3-4, Junior and Senior Class Play, 4-H 8 years, 4-H Judging Team 1-2-3-4, Basketball 1-2-3-4, Softball 1-2-3-4, Class Vice President 1-3, Annual Staff 4



ANN SHEETS

Mixed Chorus 3, Girls' Chorus 2:3-4, Senior Class Play School Paper Staff 4, 4-H 2 years

THOMAS EICHHORN

Junior and Senior Class Play, 4-H 8 years Baskethall 2-3-4, Softball 4, School Paper 1-3, Annual Staff 3, Class President 2-3-4.





JERRY KEPLINGER

Boys' Chorus 1-2, 4-H 2 years, Stage Manager for Class Plays 3-4, Annual Staff 4

PAT ELETT

Mixed Chorus 3-4, Girls' Chorus 3-4, Junior and Senior Class Play, 4-H 2 years, School Paper Staff 4, Annual Staff 3.







Adrienne Black Jack Bordner

Barbara Cupp Joe Briner Jerry Day







Sharon Farnow

George • Mason



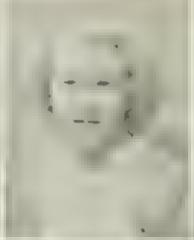






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Fred Harris Lucille Kingen Harlen Lambert











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Fred Roberts Norma Kinsey Richard Shively Sue Mason

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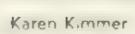




Sandra Holltz

Tom Griffen







Don Pressler



Arzetta Lohmai



Dan Weikel



Patsy Niche son



Dick Wiebui





Patsy Strouse



Dorothy Walmsley



Caroloyn Inske

Eighth Grade



First row: Kay Roberts, Jerry Briner, Don Hartley, Patty Wilburn, Mary Riley, Wayne Hale, Gale Highlen, Oa ias Moser

Second row: Jim Brickley, Charolette Cupp, Jean Miller, Catherine Leach, Ilene Falk, Belve Leach, Bob Hoopingarner, Roger Kinsey

Third row: Miss Mary Hoffman, Denzel Hale, George Keplinger, Setty Lesh, Sally Michael, Dale Falk, Robert Roe

Seventh Grade



First row: Johnny Cupp, Neil Geisman, Norman Wible, Donny Mason, Michael Moorefield, John Gingerick, Gerry Bender

Second row: Arlin McAfee, Robert Sickatus, Dale Harrish, Rosanna Fuhrer, Phyllia Walmsley, Barbara Smith, Janet Cash, Gienn Moorefield

Third row: Theressa Haiflich, Emilie Mason, Carolyn Crosbie, Janet Weikel, Vera Carpenter, Rosalyn Wilkin, Virgil Leach.

Fourth row: Mrs. Colderbank, Roger Reff, Harld Upton, John Dirymple, Jay Stauffer, Philip Anderson, Louis Sauerwine, Kanneth McAfee, Kent McAfee.

Sixth Grade



First row: Beatrice Moorefield, Anna May Netterfield, Shirley Leach, Clata Woodward, Donna Edris, Carol Reher, Mary Ann Highlen.

Second row: Walter Roberts, Donald Park, Nancy Johnson, Jane Wilburn, Betty Walmsley, Max Schmidt, De Wayne Moser

Third row Jerry Shively, Wayne Stephens, Mr. Stinson, James Houtz, Marvin Halflich

Fifth Grade



First row: Suzanne Miller, Judy Brickley, Sue Braden, Linda Crum, Janet Dolby, Sharon Elzie, Joyce Roberts, Joyce Decker, Rebe Cash.

Second row: Steve Brickley, Neil Kinsey, Dale Platt, Sharon Wright, Beatrice Harfield, Lonnette Berger, Jimmy Grover, Ray Woodward.

Third row: Miss Prible, Charles Shively, Jerry Harnish, Roger Stahl, Gene Nickelson, Benny Crumm, Howard Morrow, Mr. Stinson.

Fourth Grade



First row: Nancy Marshall, Rabecca Terr, Kay Anderson, Susan Hogg, Karen Bender, Keren Crosbie, Betty Moorefield, Alleyene Keplinger, Nancy Batzka, Karen Anderson

Second row Jimmy Stroube John Stephens Gene Weiches Kaaren Fairchilds Darlens Keplinger Jeffie Espich, Roger Haiflich, Jerry Mason, Joe Sickefus

Third row: Esther Prible, David Highlen, Mike Geisman, John McFarren, Jerry McAfee, John Freds, Gerry Hill, Larry Edite, Cecile Weid

Third Grade



Bottom row: Bonnie Gilbert, Betsy Decker, Marsha Green, Karen Fuhrer, Betty Cash, Mary Ann Shook Second row Diann Moser Vick Williamson Diann McAfee, Jerry Grover Bobby Rodich Russell Wikin Third row: Mrs. Cecile Waid, Jerry Penrod, Garry Reff, Alfred Tarr, Ronald Upton.

Second Grade



First row: Eddie Decker, Bobby Wilburn, Sheryl Pressler, Janet Hill, Bonnie Green, Jackle Moorefield, Joe Pasley, Kenneth Marshell.

Second row: Gerald Edris, Dennis Houtz, Susan Espich, Carolyn Park, Carla Smith, Roger Johnson, Chaddie McClure, Teddy Crum.

Third row: Mrs. Roe, Donnie Woodward, Judy Langel, Margaret Koontz, Carol Batzke, Pamela Crum.

First Grade



First row: Gerry Goutz, Dale Stahl, David Baller, Noel Anderson, Jim Beck, Elwin McAfee.

Second row Mary Grover Kay Abner Diane Cupp, Donna Blessing, Johnnie Pasley Deborah Fairchild, Karen Johnson, Julia Swank, Nancy Crum.

Third row: Miss Sellers, Kenny Wright, Kim Griffin, Cynthia Hoffacker, Sandra Wilkin, Jean Schmidt, Mike Black, Alvin Edris.

Girls, Chorus



Front row: Dorthy Walmsley, Shirley Hare, Beatrice Wilburn, Norma Kinsey, Karen Kimmer, Barbara Gingerick, Shirley Weikel, Janice Briner, Sandre Houtz, Patsy Nickelson, Maxine Stephens

Second row: W. Kell Wygant, Mabelou Bordner, Patsy Strouse, Sharon Fahrnow, Lois Walmaley, Patricia Elett An Street Caro a best Mariene Free Caro e District Elvie Opton

Third rows Barbara Brickley, Barbara Cupp, Lucille Kingdon, Adriene Black, Beverly Edris, Sue Meson, Arzetta Lehman, Joyce McFarrers, Karolyna Gilbert, Shirley Sheets and Linda Day,

Boys' Chorus



Front row: Jerry Hoopingamer, Joe Briner, Harlan Lambert, Dick Harshman, David Gilbert, Sob Milligan, W. Kell Wygant

Second row: Tom Griffin, Dick Wibel, Fred Harris, John Seila, Richard Stinson, Lyle Gilbert, Richard Shively.

Third row: Max Arnold, Dan Weifel Don Pressler, Dale Dolby, Fred Roberts, Kay Dunn, Jerrey Day.



Bottom row Ke. Wygant Bob Magan, Fred Harris Top row you Briner Dick Harshman



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MIXED CHORUS

Bottom row: Jerry Hoopingarner, Joe Briner, Shirley Hare, Bee Ann Wilburn, Norma Kinsey, Karen Kimmer, Barbara Gingerick Shirley Weikel, Harlan Lambert, David Gilbert Middle row Fred Harris Richard Stenson, Patsy Nickelson, Sharon Fahrnow, Lois Walmsley, Patricia Elett Marlene Freds Janica Dickie Janica Briner Richard Shively, John Siela Top row Kell Wygant Dick Harshmann, Bob Millsgan, Barbara Brickley, Barbara Cupp, Adrienne Black, Joyce McFarren, Karolyna Gilbert, Arzetta Lehman, Linda Day, Don Pressler, Dale Dolby.

Band



First row: Joe Briner, John Gingerick, Roger Reff, Bob Milligan, Jim Houtz, Mr Waschter Second row: Mary Riley, Linda Day, Tom Griffin, Janice Briner, Patsy Strouse, Sally Micheel, Barabara Gingerick

Third row: Dale Dolby, Mebelou Bordner, Adrienne Black, Jerry Briner

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Standing: Mabelou Bordner, Pat Elett, Carol Gilbert.

Sitting: Patsv Strouse, Lucille Kingan

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Standing: Barbera Brickley Sitting: Shirley Hare

Boys 4-H



First row: Bob Roe, Ray Woodard, John Gingerick, Kent McAfee, Max Schmidt, Walter Roberts, Jerry Shively, Larry Bayless

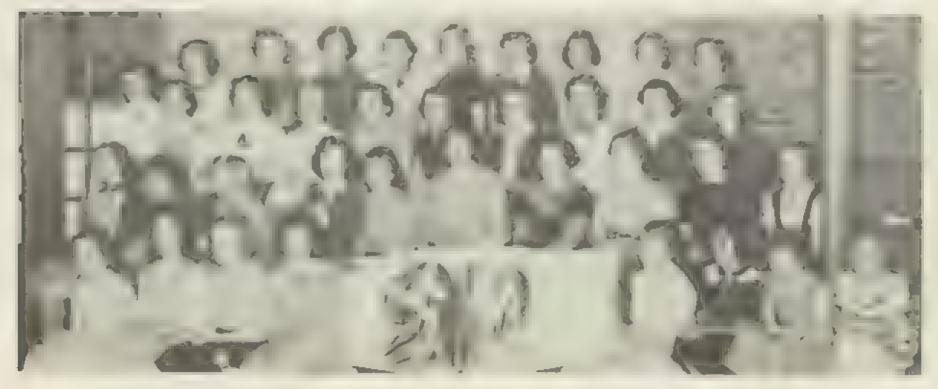
Second row: Wayne Hale, Dale Dolby, Max Arnold, Dan Weikel, Janet Dolby, Joyce Decker, Jerry Briner, Kay Roberts, Bob Hoopingamer, Kenneth McAfee

Third row: Louis Saurwine, Fred Roberts, Kay Dunn, Sally Micheel, Marlene Freds, Bob Walmsley, Charolette Cupp, Jane Decker, Dale Harnish, Roger Reff

Fourth row: Norman Wibel, Richard Wibel, Tom Griffin, Bob Milligan, Harlan Lambert, Joe Briner, Dick Harshman, Jerry Day, Denzel Hale, Larry Fuller, Arlan McAfee

Fifth row: Charles Shively, Lyle Gilbert, Tom Eichhorn, Richard Shively, Jack McAfee, Richard Stinson, Fred Harris, Dale Falk, George Keplinger, John Siele, David Gilbert, Wayne Harnish

Girls 4-H



First row: Bestrice Moorefield, Judy Brickley, Suzanne Miller, Nancy Marshall, Linda Crum, Joyce Roberts, Susan Hogg, Joyce Decker

Second row: Rita Braden, Janet Dolby, Jane Decker, Roslyn Wilkins, Janet Wiekel, Mrs. Colderbank, Nancy Johnson, Sheron Wright, Patty Wilburn, Janet Gilbert

Third row Arzetta Lehman, Charolette Cupp Lene Falk Barbara Cupp Shirley Wiekel, Jean Miller Sally Micheel, Karen Kimmer, Judy Edris.

Fourth row: Betty Lesh Mary Rilly Mablelou Bordner Janice Dickie Janice Briner, Carol Gilbert, Marlene Freds, Patsy Strouse, Linda Day, Sandra Houtz.

Student Council



Left to right: Fred Harris, Shirley Hare, Fred Roberts, Bobby Sickafus, Wayne Lee, Patsy Strouse

Spirit of Rockereek Staff



Upper left: Emily Mason, Kay Dunn, Pat Elett, Denzel Hale, Carl Stauffer.

Lower left: Jerry Hoopingarner, Shirley Hare, Janice Dickie, Karolyna Gilbert

Upper right: Ann Sheets, Fred Harris, Gene Gilbert, Barbara Cupp.

Lower right Dick Harshman Joe Briner Sharon Farhnow Bob Miligen Bee Ann Wilburn Adrienne Black

Patrol Boys



Standing: Harlan Lambert, Jerry Day.

Keeping: Richard Stinson, Dan Weikel, Richard Shively, Key Dan

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Janitors



Ray Lesh, Janifor

Senior Class Play



First row: Bob Milligen, Pat Elett, Barbara Brickley, Shirley Hare, Bee Ann Wilburn, Ann Sheets Jack McAtee Second row: John Siela, Tom Eichhorn, Jerry Keplinger, Gene Gilbert, Dick Harshman, David Gilbert

THE PHANTOM BELLS

Mrs. Rhodes	Shirley Hare			
Laura Rhodes	_ Barbara Brickley			
Lela Sayles	Bee Ann Wilburn			
Miriam Booth	Ann Sheets			
Harriet Forbes	Pat Elett			
Josiph Kennedy	Tom Eichhorn			
Ned Carrothers				
Jack Page	Bob Milligan			
Darrel Carson				
Victor Lavelle	David Gilbert			

The Senior Class Play was presented October the 23 and 24.

The entire play took place in one evening. It is a mystery story about a deserted holder which people mysteriously disappear, only to return apparently dead, and then miraculously to life a house where mysterious foot prints end in the middle of the room as if the owner had suddenly sprouted wings and taken fight. These are a tew of the things Laura Rhodes and her young step mother encountered when they arrive at THE HOUSE OF THE PHANTOM BELLS.





Scenes From Senior Class Play.



Junior Class Play

The Junior Class presented a play, GRANDPA'S TWIN SISTER under the direction of Mary Hoffman, English teacher, and Kell Wygant; class Sponsor.

Grandpa enjoys poor health and the throof ordering people about especially at medicine time, but he worries over how to escape the persistent efforts of the Widow Work ams to catch him as her fourth husband—the other three being peace forly resting under the sod. Living with Grandpa are Clara and her hence ked husband, who cannot even call his own tongue and words his own, who want him to let Edgar act as his guardian in charge of his money of course. Then there is Louise and Henry Collins who also want his money. There is Betty, his granddaughter, who doesn't want anything from Grandpa but she does want young Dr. Wyatt. And the cook, Maggle, who wants a husband and is wong to pay a mal-order matrimonial bureau ten dollars for a suitable prospect. It is not until Betty and Grandpa, who have been mixed up in several confusing incidents, decide that confess on is good for the soul- and peace in the family, that the mess is straightened out.

Rockereek Annual Staff



Left to right Dick Haishman, John Sie a Barbara Brickley Gene Gitlert Mary Hoffman, Jack McAfee, David Gilbert.



Softball Team



First row Bob M. gan, Max Arnold Kay Dunn, Fred Roberts, David G. bert Second row. Jerry Hoopingarner, Carl Stauffer, Richard Stenson, Lyle Gilbert Jack Bordner, Richard Shively, Fred Harris, Tom Eichorn.

Third row. Dan Wiekle, Joe Briner, Harland Lambert, Wayne Harnish, Julius Moore, Jack McAfee, Dick Harshman, Larry Fuller, Jerry Day.

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Briner	6	24	7	8	9		3	3	3	.333
McAfee	5	15	3	5	9		3	3	0	.333
Harshman	2	3	2	1	1		1	1	2	.333
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Bordner	6	20	5	6	7		4	1	2	,300
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		9				7				
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First Team

First row: Julius Moore, John Siela, Dan Weikle.

Second row: Jerry Day, Bob M. gan Jerry Hoopingarner, Jack Bord ner, Lyle Gibert, Carl Stauffer Tom Echorn, Wayne Harnish, David Gilbert, Joe Briner

Second Team



First row: Fred Harris, Richard Shively, Richard Stenson, Tom Griffen, Harland Lambert.

Second row Max Arnold, Kay Dunn, Fred Roberts, Dan Weikle, Julius Moore, John Siela, Larry Friler, Dale Dolby.



Junior High Basketball

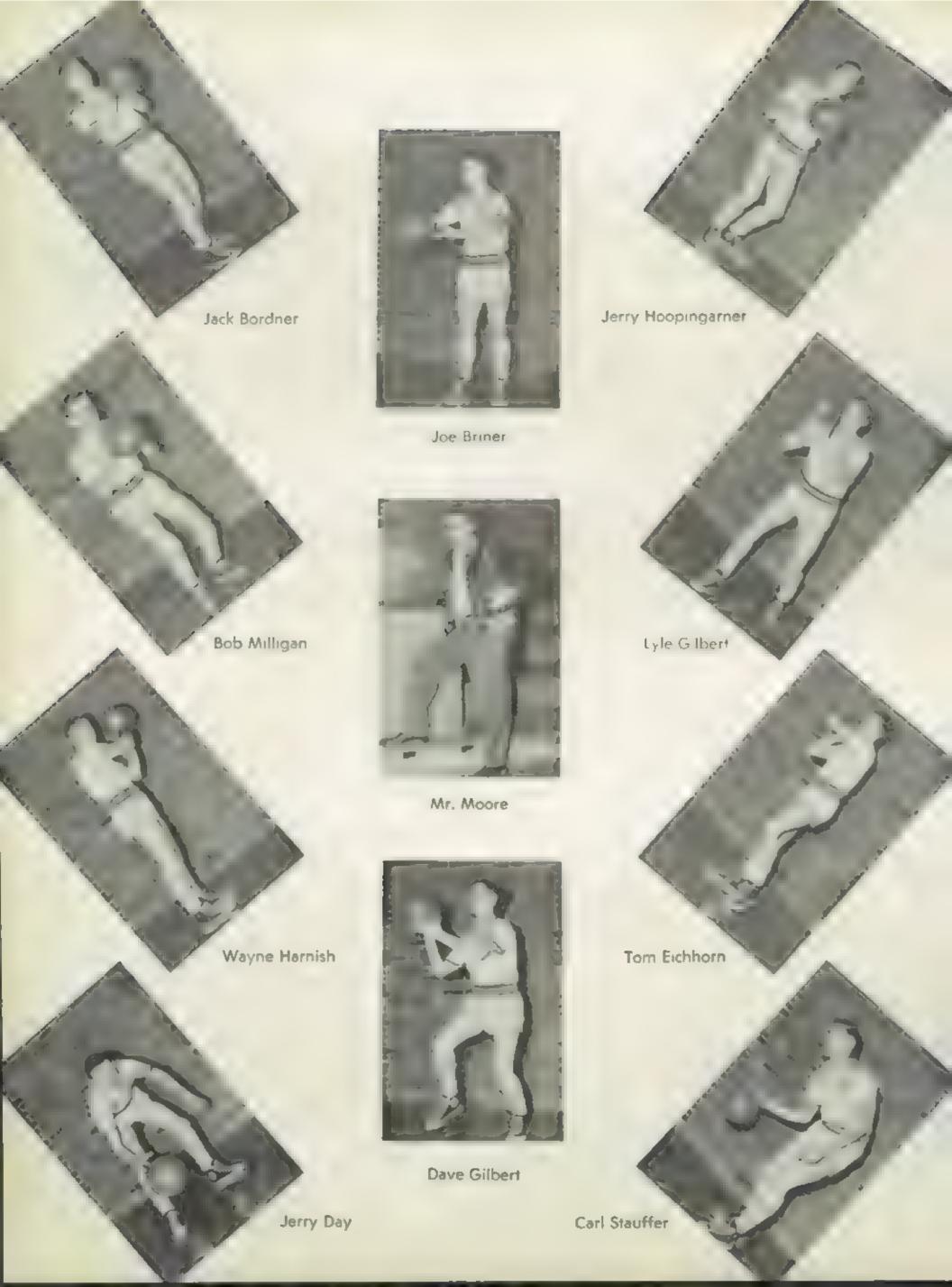
First row: Jerry Briner, Kay Roberts.
Second row Denxe Hale Dale Falk George Keplinger, Jay Stauffer
Third row Wayne Hale, Jimmy Brickley, Clive Markley, Philip Anderson, Bob Hoopingarner, Roger Kinsey

Junior High Softball

First row Philip Anderson Jay Stauffer Denzel Hale, George Kepinger, Dale Falk, Bob Hoopingarner.

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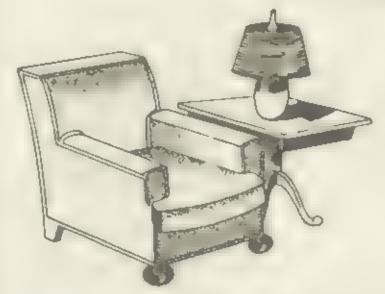
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